

Mitigation, Analysis and Plans

Emergency Management Division

Mitigation Section

The Mitigation Section provides access to competitive grant funding and technical assistance following a major disaster or emergency declaration. These grants fund projects to reduce or eliminate the threats of hazards, and support all-hazard mitigation planning. The section also administers annual funding for hazard-specific projects, such as earthquake, flood, tsunami, volcano; and hazard mitigation planning, in addition to coordinating and maintaining the State's Hazard Mitigation Strategy. Additionally, the section reviews local hazard mitigation plans, participates in the development of national policies in hazard mitigation, earthquake, and tsunami preparedness, and coordinates the implementation of state and federal laws and regulations to meet multi-objective planning—educating and integrating Mitigation into land use and building policy decisions. Support for the Seismic Safety Committee is a growing element.

Analysis & Plans Section

The Analysis and Plans Section researches and develops emergency management applications from GIS and Remote Sensing technology to assist local jurisdictions and state agencies in developing preparedness, mitigation, response, and recovery strategies. Additionally, it provides plan reviews for local and state agencies and is responsible to coordinate the state hazard analysis and vulnerability assessment (HIVA) and the comprehensive emergency management plan (CEMP).

Fact sheets:

Mitigation

- Earthquake Program
- Hazard Mitigation

Analysis & Plans

- Emergency Management Plans
- Federal Programs Plans
- State Agency and Disaster Volunteer Liaisons
- State Emergency Planning Activities

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